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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Fan Zhou, Joseph A. Hook and Jeff Schulz  
Application No.: 09/628,059  
Filed: 07/28/2000  
For: DYNAMIC QUEUE UTILIZATION

Group No.: 2661  
Examiner: Joshua A. Kading

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1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

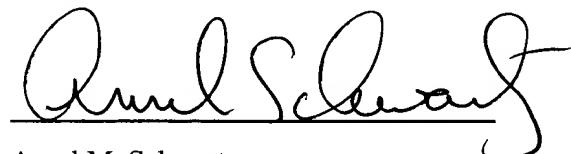
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INDEP.	2	= 0	\$ 0.00
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM	+	\$ 0.00	\$ 0.00
		TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$ 0.00

No additional fee for claims is required.

## FEE DEFICIENCY

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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated November 19, 2004, please enter the  
following amendments to the above-identified application as follows.